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TRANS-CONTINENTAL ROUTE IS POPULAR

VICE PRESIDENT GILBERT RECEIVING MUCH ENCOURAGEMENT IN THIS CITY.

ROAD DECLARED ADVANTAGEOUS

Membership in Association Not Confined to Automobile Owners, But Owners of Teams May Join.

W. W. Gilbert of this city, Lee county's vice president of the Illinois Transcontinental Route association, reports that he is receiving much encouragement from Dixon people in the effort to line this section up in favor of the proposed national highway from New York to San Francisco. and if the enthusiasm continues Dixon and Lee county may lead all the counties in northern Illinois in the effort to co-operate in this great scheme.

The Illinois organization is a part of a national organization to secure the establishment of a marked hard road, the most direct and best from New York to San Francisco. The plan is to have the route follow the lines of the New York Central, the Lake Shore, the Chicago & Northwestern railroad companies, thus establishing an official route from coast to coast.

Many Advantages.
The advantages of such a route are apparent and incidentally cities along that route will receive great monetary benefits. Every turn on the national highway will be marked by a six-inch letter "T" and a band of white, the motto being The letter T and band of white, always in sight, day and night.

Many Secure Aid.
The object of the Illinois association in addition to securing the route through northern Illinois and thus through Dixon, is to perfect an organization strong enough to prove a power at Springfield when the \$6,000,000 which has been secured by automobile taxes and has not been touched, is appropriated for road purposes. With an organization of business men from each county in the northern part of the state is argued that a part of that money can be secured toward the building of a hard road connecting cities along the northern route.

Getting Local Members.
The membership is not confined to automobile owners and therefore business men, owners of teams, etc., are taking interest in the association. The annual dues are \$2 and many local men are awakening to the importance of the work and enlisting themselves in the movement. Application blanks can be secured from Moeller & Wilson or from Mr. Gilbert, and these men say that the application for membership blanks has been gratifying.

To Interest Citizens' Asso.
Mr. Gilbert has taken the matter up with the Citizens' association and doubtless that organization will assist in the great work which, if accomplished, will place Dixon on the great transcontinental route, thus insuring the passage through the city of thousands of cars every year. And

REP. A. P. GARDNER



Congressman Gardner of Massachusetts, who vainly challenged Colonel Roosevelt to a political debate and has been making earnest endeavors to carry his state for Mr. Taft, is a son-in-law of Senator Henry Cabot Lodge. Formerly he was a warm admirer of Roosevelt.

most of them will stop here for repairs, gasoline or hotel accommodations. Incidentally it is certain they will make many purchases in the stores.

Mark Route This Week.
The work of marking the proposed route was undertaken this week by A. N. Johnson, state engineer, and Mr. Springer of the Chicago Motor Club. They left Chicago Monday to establish the route and will be here tomorrow to confer with Mr. Gilbert.

As Iowa Sees It.
Concerning the big route and work being done to establish it, the Clinton Herald says:

Good news for the good roads enthusiasts through the state along the route of the Iowa official transcontinental route is contained in the announcement of the formation of the Illinois Official Transcontinental Route association at DeKalb last week. W. F. Coan of Clinton was at the meeting as a representative of the Iowa Official Transcontinental Route association, and brings word that the Illinois association officers expressed a desire to co-operate with the Iowa association officers in making the Illinois and Iowa links of the great auto route from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast the most popular in the country.

With the good roads men of the two states organized and working together it is anticipated that the already popular official transcontinental route will become more popular and will continue to hold its supremacy over all other cross-country routes. The Illinois Official Transcontinental Route and the Iowa Official Transcontinental routes linked together with officers and members co-operating, provide the ideal route from Chicago to Council Bluffs, via Clinton.

Smallpox In Bureau County Cost \$3,400

The recent smallpox epidemic in the east part of Bureau county, especially in the town of Ladd, is going to be a rather expensive proposition for the county, but of course an unavoidable one.

During the session of the board of supervisors P. J. Smith of DePue, brought up the matter of the payment of the physicians who had the cases in charge during the time the place was under quarantine also the bills of some of the druggists who furnished medicines at that time and the aggregate amount was \$3,434.86. After some little discussion among the members of the board a committee was appointed to investigate the matter and to bring in a report with a recommendation at the meeting in June.

In presenting the bill Mr. Smith made a few remarks about the meth-

ods employed by some of the physicians. At the beginning of the contagion Dr. Dunne had charge of most of the cases and after treating them for some time he was called away, and appointed Dr. Morgan of Spring Valley to take them.

After being away for some few weeks Dr. Dunne returned to Ladd and assumed full charge of a number of the older cases, or the ones which had been under his supervision when he was called away, and when the bills of the different doctors were turned in, it was found that treatment for some of the cases was included in both bills.

Mr. Smith recommended that a committee of the board of supervisors be appointed to call on the different doctors and have the matter straightened out and bring in a report at the next meeting.

ZION'S HOLY WAR ON

Big Battle Is Scheduled for Some Time Today.

Volunteers and Independents Arm With Bibles and Shotguns—500 on Each Side.

Chicago, April 24.—A "holy war" has broken out in Zion city and the battle for the throne of Wilbur Glenn Voliva will be staged today.

Each side has marshaled about 500 men. Acting Mayor S. F. Miller spent the afternoon passing out rifles and shotguns, while Elder John M. Royal, major general of the "army of extermination," was supplying his clansmen with bibles and hymn books.

The fighting began as a result of the advent into Zion of 250 employees of the Cook Electrical company, which has opened a new factory. The factory men insisted on smoking within the city limits and the Zionists objected. As a result one of the factory men was knocked down and a riot ensued. The Volivites marched to the station when the factory hands came in on a train and began singing and praying. A little scuffle resulted and the Zionites were forced back up the hill, where the song and prayer service was continued.

"We will meet the Gentiles at the depot today and pray with them and ask them to leave," said Elder Royal. "We will use every peaceable means to settle the trouble, but failing, we must use force. I know they are armed, and I shudder to think of what may happen. But Zion will triumph with the right."

Acting Mayor Miller has administered the oath to 75 deputies and supplied them with arms—a nondescript outlay of muskets, rifles, shotguns and revolvers.

ALLENS ARE ARRAIGNED

Six Are Charged With Murder in Virginia Courthouse.

Hillsville, Va., April 24.—Six members of the Allen clan were arraigned here to answer for their part in the Carroll county court tragedy of March 14, when judge, prosecutor, sheriff, a juror and a spectator were shot to death.

By agreement of counsel, reached after court convened, it was decided to hold the trial in Wytheville, Va., on April 30.

After the indictments were read here all of the prisoners filed separate pleas of not guilty.

GEM HEEL WEARER HOME

Mrs. Anthony Refuses to Ride in Family Coupe; Takes Taxi.

Muncie, Ind., April 24.—Harriet B. Anthony is home and her home people are anxious to see the diamond heeled slippers that startled Washington and New York society. She was met at the station by her husband, Charles Anthony, he who told an assessor that his wife's gems cost \$5 a quart. Mrs. Anthony refused to ride home in the family coupe, preferring a taxicab.

SUFFRAGE HIT IN ARIZONA

State Senate Defeats Measure by a Vote of 7 to 11.

Phoenix, Ariz., April 24.—Woman suffrage was defeated in the Arizona senate, 7 to 11. This action followed an adverse report on the measure by the committee on constitutional amendments, to which the bill passed by the house was referred.

LAWN GRADED.

Max Rosenthal is having the lawn at his new residence on Peoria avenue graded and seeded. Cement walks have been laid and when the grading and seeding is done his handsome new home will be complete in every detail.

MOTHER SERIOUSLY ILL

Mrs. George Schorr has gone to Aurora, called by the serious illness of Mr. Schorr's mother. Mr. Schorr spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother and will return to Aurora as soon as he has completed important business matters here.

EXCAVATION BEGUN.

The excavation for the new Utley building on Galena avenue was begun this morning and the work will be rushed as rapidly as possible.

COMPLETES DECORATIONS.

Contractor Charles Lengel has finished the decorating of the offices, halls and corridors of the second floor of the court house and he is receiving many compliments on the manner in which he performed the work. The colors are considerably brighter than before, the result being more light in the rooms.

BULLETIN.

S. S. OLYMPIC CREW STRIKE BEFORE SAILING

THREE HUNDRED MEN GO OUT FIVE MINUTES BEFORE BIG LINER IS READY TO LEAVE.

Chicago, Apr. 24.—Special—A cablegram from Southampton, Eng., says: Three hundred members of the crew belonging to the Olympic of the White Star line, struck five minutes before sailing time today. They gave as their reason for striking that collapsible lifeboats were unseaworthy.

Sister to Titanic.
The Olympic is the sister boat to the steamship Titanic which struck an iceberg and sank off the coast of Newfoundland about a week ago.

WOODMAN RATE BILL PASSED BY HOUSE

BILL AS PASSED DOES NOT HAVE THE EMERGENCY CLAUSE—HOUSE ADJOURNS.

Springfield, Apr. 24.—Special to the Telegraph—The house this morning passed the bill introduced by Representative Donohue of Bloomington and the passage of which was urged by the insurgent Modern Woodmen of America who had it introduced, which prohibits fraternal orders from increasing their rates of insurance prior to Jan. 1, 1915. After that date they can submit the question to referendum vote of the members of the organization. The bill was amended to include in its provisions only organizations having a membership of 75,000 or over. It did not pass with the emergency clause, but that will not affect the bill.

The only speech made on the bill was by Mr. Donohue, who introduced the measure.

The bill will pass the senate without doubt.

The house adjourned at noon until Tuesday, May 7th.

In the senate, Senator Madigan's resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of five to investigate the breaking down of the doors of the Seventh regiment armory in Chicago on April 15 by the police on the order of County Judge Owens, came up. Senator Wange of Chicago declared the resolution out of order because it was included in the governor's call for a special session.

Lieut. Gov. Oglesby ruled that the resolution was out of order because it was not recited in the resolution that Judge Owens claimed to be acting under the provisions of the primary election law.

Investigate Election Frauds.

Senator Frost introduced a resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of five to investigate the alleged primary election frauds in Chicago.

It went over until tomorrow under the rules. The senate passed the emergency clause bill appropriating \$20,000 for repairing the state house owing to damage done by the storm last September and \$120,000 for the expense of the survey and soil survey.

The bill appropriating \$120,000 for the medical schools of the University of Illinois rendered necessary by the supreme court declaring the Nelberger case unconstitutional, failed to pass with the emergency clause, the vote being 30 to 4, lacking four votes of the two-thirds of the senate. The senate adjourned until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

705 feet above sea level.

Above data furnished by H. R. Spafford, assistant chief engineer of the Illinois Central Railroad Company.

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation are taken at 7 o'clock each morning and are for the preceding 24 hours:

Sunday 62 41 .04

Monday 65 42 .15

Chicago, Apr. 24.—Probably

fair today and tomorrow; not

much change in temperature.

C. LOWERY'S ABILITY IS RECOGNIZED

YOUNG MUSICIAN WILL CONDUCT WELL KNOWN CONCERT COMPANY.

Charles Lowery, former member of the Dixon Marine band, has signed an eight months' contract with the Howell Concert company. Mr. Lowery has been engaged as director and soloist. The engagement will open Oct. 1, New York being the starting city. The many friends of Mr. Lowery will be pleased to hear of this recognition of his ability as a musician. This young man has devoted practically his whole life thus far to the art and now that the management of this well known concert company has "found" this capable young musician in Dixon and taken him to direct the company of artists it is certainly gratifying to Dixon people.

DIXON MARINE BAND TO PLAY

CONCERTS DURING THE SUMMER SESSION OF ROCK RIVER ASSEMBLY.

The management of the Rock River Assembly has engaged the Dixon Marine band for concerts during the coming season thus insuring some pleasing entertainment before the auditorium programs. The band boys have been working hard all winter and have perfected a repertoire of numbers sure to please.

DIXON ENTERTAIN AUTO DRIVERS

SECRETARY RAYMOND NOTIFIED OFFICIALS WILL DINE HERE.

Dixon will be visited May 24th by a large crowd of Denver automobilists who will stop here for dinner and supplies. The notice was received today by Secretary E. B. Raymond of the Dixon Citizens' association, the letter being from the officials of the Denver Automobile club. A large number of the enthusiasts of that city will go to Indianapolis to attend the automobile races and picked Dixon as one of their stops.

COACH BAILEY RESIGNS

Secretary Bailey has resigned his position as coach for the Dixon Union High School baseball team. Joseph Valle has been selected by the boys as coach to succeed Mr. Bailey. Valle will pick his players Friday afternoon.

Baseball Results

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
Boston	5	2	714
Cleveland	5	4	555
Chicago	5	3	667
Detroit	4	4	499
Philadelphia	4	3	571
St. Louis	4	6	409
Washington	4	3	571
York	1	6	143

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
Club	W. L. P. C.	Club	W. L. P. C.
Brussels	7	2	778
Pittsburgh	4	5	444
N. York	5	3	625
St. Louis	4	6	409
Philadelphia	4	3	571
Chicago	3	5	375
Boston	4	3	444
Brooklyn	3	5	375

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.			
Colombia	10	3	532
Levellville	4	6	496
Toledo	7	4	536
Kan. City	4	7	364
Minneapolis	7	6	548
Milwaukee	4	7	364
St. Paul	7	2	548
Indianapolis	3	9	182

WESTERN LEAGUE.			
St. Joe	4	1	899
Topeka	2	3	499
Denver	3	1	759
D. Moines	2	3	499
Wichita	3	2	899
Omaha	4	1	3
St. City	2	3	899
Lincoln	1	3	259

Tuesday's Results.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
Cleveland	3	Chicago	7
Boston	2	Washington	5
New York	3	Philadelphia	9
St. Louis	2	Detroit	0

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
Chicago	3	Pittsburgh	5
Cincinnati	4	St. Louis	1
Brocklyn	7	Boston	0
Philadelphia-New York	no game; cold weather.		

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.			
Columbus	10	Minneapolis	5
Toledo	2	St. Paul	3
Indianapolis	7	Milwaukee	6
Louisville	6	Kansas City	2

WESTERN LEAGUE.			
Omaha	2	Des Moines	3
St. Joe	1	Sioux City	4
Denver	3	Wichita	4
Topeka	6	Lincoln	5

California Has New League.

Stockton, Cal., April 24.—Announcement of the organization of the California State league, consisting of Stockton, Sacramento, San Francisco, Oakland, Galt and Modesto has been made here. George G. Fraser of San Francisco is president. The season opens May 5 and only Sunday games will be played.

UTILITIES COMPANY INCREASES CAPITAL

MISS JULIA LATHROP



Miss Lathrop, who has been appointed by President Taft as head of the new children's department, has been associated with Miss Jane Adams in the management of Hull House, Chicago, and is one of the best known social workers in the country.

BOY, HIT BY A DISCUS, DIES

INJURY RECEIVED IN ATHLETIC PRACTICE PROVES FATAL.

Macomb, Ill., Apr. 24.—John Duncan, a first year student in the Macomb high school, died today after having been hit on the head Tuesday by a discus thrown in athletic practice by Wayne Chadderton, a fellow freshman. Duncan's injuries were at first thought slight, but a few hours after receiving the blow on the temple he lapsed into unconsciousness and later died of concussion of the brain.

TAKES CARBOLIC ACID.

LaPorte, Ind., Apr. 24.—Kneeling as if in prayer, Mrs. Walkinshaw, wife of a doctor of Stillwell, was found dying by her husband. While ill she had taken carbollic acid, and death ensued.

DUNNE WILL MANAGE.

Edward F. Dunne, democratic candidate for governor, will manage his own campaign. His headquarters are in the City Hall Square Building, Chicago.

SEYBERT RESTING WELL.

Word from Wallace Seybert, who has been at the Geneva hospital following a slight accident Sunday evening, as a result of which he fractured a knee cap, is to the effect that he is resting as well as can be expected. He will be brought home as soon as possible.

OFFICIALS INSPECTED.

A number of Northwestern officials passed through Dixon Tuesday afternoon on an inspection trip, during which they had been over the Peoria branch.

Big Fund For Titanic Disaster Victims Growing

London, April 24.—The Titanic disaster still holds first place in the public mind. The newspapers publish at great length the thrilling details of the evidence given before the senatorial commission at Washington, and the extraordinary flow of money to the relief funds is proof of the widespread sympathy.

The total fund, including that in New York, is approaching \$1,000,000. Perhaps the most noteworthy is the Daily Mail fund, which has been contributed exclusively by women, and already amounts to \$120,000. The lord mayor's fund has reached \$545,000, and the Daily Telegraph's \$87,775. The fund at Southampton amounts to \$72,700, and that at Liverpool at \$64,500. A large number of special

STOCK HAS BEEN BOOSTED FROM \$1,000 TO \$20,000,000—ORGANIZED TWO WEEKS.

WILL PUSH DEVELOPMENT WORK

It Is Expected That the Various Power Interests in Northern Illinois Will Consolidate.

The Illinois Northern Utilities company, organized about two weeks ago by agents of the Commonwealth Edison interests to acquire existing gas and electric power properties along Rock river, has increased its capital stock from the nominal figure of \$1,000 to \$20,000,000.

The properties include those at Rock Falls, Sterling, Dixon, Oregon, Savanna, Belvidere and other communities in the Rock river valley. Purchases include rights to valuable power sites as yet only partially developed. The development work will proceed rapidly, the company working in co-operation with the Edison company and the Public Service Company of Northern Illinois, another Edison concern. The latter yesterday announced an increase in its capital stock amounting to about \$3,000,000.

It is expected that eventually the various power interests in northern Illinois will be consolidated. At present they are combined so far as operation is concerned.

TOURILLIOTT WEDS.

Friends of Hon. A. T. Tourillott, representative in the general assembly from this district, will unite in extending congratulations following an announcement from Bloomington that a marriage license was issued there Monday to Mr. Tourillott and Ella L. Rhoton of Los Angeles, Cal. Friends of the Major believe that he was quietly married there enroute to Springfield, where he is now attending the special session of the legislature, and that he will return to Dixon with his bride following the adjournment of that body.

TROUBLE WITH ACTRESS.

Rock Island, Apr. 24.—Walter Hader was taken to Peoria by a federal officer today on a warrant charging misuse of the mails. The case was the outgrowth of letters to Lillian Russell.

ORGANIZE TEAMS.

The Sterling Manufacturers' association held a meeting Tuesday and organized an eight-club ball league. The season will open May 15.

GOES WEST.

Mrs. M. A. Noble will leave Monday for Chicago. That night she will leave for Hollywood, Cal., where she is building a beautiful home in which she expects to live.

RECALL DEFEATED.

Columbus, O., Apr. 24.—The Ohio constitution convention defeated a proposal to incorporate a provision for the recall of public officials in the constitution by a vote of 57 to 45.

MISS SHAFFER RETURNS.

Miss Lulu Shafer, trimmer for Mrs. Rosbrook, has returned from Chicago where she had gone to study the styles.

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

BIRTHDAY HOROSCOPES.

April 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18.

Are fond of society and not averse to making a show. Are not fond of hard work, but had rather direct. Weigh everything before you adopt or enter into it. Want home happy. Have great scientific ability; quick in thought and action, secretive and a good planner. You are a great lover of home. You calculate closely, and count the cost before starting.

April 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24.

Have moods of happiness and unhappiness. Sympathies expand and contract to conditions. Need much love, and give much. Can stand some flattery, and can get very angry. Have a great love for the mysterious; strong scientific learning. Are insatiable in your desire for knowledge. Are fond of home, and affectionate. Also fond of travel, particularly on water.

Phidian Art Club.

The Phidian Art club met yesterday afternoon in Macabee hall and entertained the Woman's club, the Peoria Avenue club and the Daughters of the American Revolution. The program opened with a vocal solo by Mrs. Siskels, "Autumn Feeling," by Nevin, and "I Send My Heart Up to Thee," Branscombe, rendered exceedingly well and with fine expression. The encore to which Mrs. Siskels responded was "Violets," by Hervey. She was accompanied by Mrs. Lew Edwards.

It being the anniversary of Shakespeare's birth, the plan of the afternoon was the celebration of this great event.

Mrs. Louise Steel beautifully described the Shakespeare country and spoke briefly of the man. He was born 343 years ago today, and just 52 years from that day he died. Nothing is known of his life until he was married to Ann Hathaway at the age of 19, yet when he first appears in London he spoke several languages. He began his career by re-writing old plays; was never a great actor, but rose rapidly as a playwright and became the leading dramatist, not only of his own time, but is acknowledged the greatest master of human emotions and passions, the greatest dramatist the world has ever known.

Of the Shakespeare country—Mrs. Steel spoke of his Warwickshire home and the forests about, where he accumulated much material for his plays. The country is a beautiful land, a region of hedges, fields, purring streams, woods, lovely lanes and rustic villages. We had a glimpse into Gloucester, Hereford, Worcester, Leicester, Stafford, Nottingham, Oxford and Buckingham, the shires of Warwick. The whole was made most pleasing by having the principal places and scenes thrown onto a screen. This was possible through the kindness of M. H. Vail, who not only loaned his lantern, but was present and operated it. The paper was followed by a violin solo by Miss Della Strong, accompanied by Miss Kathryn Strong. She gave "Hejre Kati," by Hubay, and as an encore.

OUR WAY IS REAL PLEASURE

to you in getting relief from these awful throbbing headaches. Yes, and that stomach distress and weakness will go with them. I HAVE A MESSAGE FOR YOU.

Sick stomachs can not digest food any easier than sick women can do their work. Neither can another stomach make food into blood for you.

Nature has her own way of changing food into blood and only by her help can you grow strong. Bouyant health is the charm of beauty.

DR. W. F. AYDELOTTE,
Neurologist and Health Instructor,
223 Crawford Ave., Dixon, Ill.
Phone 160 for Appointments.

"Thais," by Massenet. Miss Della displayed ability much beyond her years and her interpretation of these selections was greatly admired.

A very decided and pleasing change in the usual order of affairs was the splendid review of Shakespeare's principal plays, by Miss Murphy, while characters of the same were portrayed in living pictures. In "Measure for Measure," we had "Isabella" about to enter the convent, by Miss Lela Hartwell. In "Hamlet" Ophelia in the Mad Scene, Mrs. Clarence Reid; "As You Like It" "Touchstone and Audrey," Amy Petersberger and Elizabeth Owens; "Merchant of Venice," "Jessica," Miss Starin; "Macbeth," "Lady Macbeth" in the Murder Scene, Helen Brown; "Romeo and Juliet in Balcony Scene, Lucile Morrison and Dorothy North; "The Winter Tale, "Hermione," Mrs. Eustace Shaw; "Merchant of Venice" Trial Scene, "Portia," Mrs. Mahlon Forsyth; "Antonio," Miss Lucile Morrison; "Shylock," Miss Jennie Laing.

These tableaux were beautifully gotten up and represented in each case, and all fully appreciated how much time and effort had been given to bring about this great success.

Refreshments were served and the afternoon as a whole was voted one of the most delightful.

Stunning Six Entertained.

Miss Underwood delightfully entertained the Stunning Six yesterday afternoon after school.

John Dixon Lodge.

John Dixon lodge, 158, O. M. P., will give a dance in their hall Saturday, April 27th.

To Entertain.

Mrs. Clyde Thompson and Mrs. Allen Buckaloe will entertain Thursday afternoon, May 2nd in Macabee hall with cards, and will entertain Saturday afternoon, May 4th, with a thimble party in the hall.

To Entertain.

Mrs. Jack Forrest will entertain on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Reynolds Entertained.

Mrs. H. G. Reynolds entertained friends at her home in North Dixon Tuesday evening.

Burchell-Shaw

George Bowles Shaw of this city, son of Mrs. Eustace E. Shaw, was married at 6 o'clock this evening to Miss Ruth Burchell. The Rev. Whitcombe, rector of St. Luke's Episcopal church of Dixon, performed the ceremony which took place at the Burchell home in Erie. Relatives of both families, and a few intimate friends were present.

Miss Burchell is the daughter of R. L. Burchell, a prominent business man of Whiteside county.

George Shaw was born here and has lived in Dixon all his life. He fills a position on the editorial staff of the Telegraph. He comes of a family of newspaper men. His father, the late Eustace E. Shaw, for many years was editor and manager of the Telegraph. His grandfather, B. F. Shaw, was editor in chief of the Telegraph for over 60 years.

After a short time spent in Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Shaw will return to Dixon and will reside at Bluff Park.

Tea Club.

Miss Bess Eells entertained the Tea club today.



LADIES

These days you will find old Photographs and some relatives would like copies of these.

It requires special instruments and skill to copy Photos, we have both.

The HINTZ STUDIO
111 East First St.

Dixon College Concert.

Dixon college will give a concert tomorrow evening in chapel hall and it is expected that the excellent program will attract a large audience. The program follows:

Program.

March—Westward Ho..... Lansing College Orchestra
Piano Solo, Caprice—The Whispering Wind..... Wollenhaupt Miss Boyle
Saxophone solo, Melody—In the Garden of My Heart..... Ball Miss Katherine Miller
Overture—Sunshine and Showers..... Flatshool College Orchestra
Vocal Solo—Bedouin Love Song..... Pinsuti Mr. Drake
Cornet Solo—Admiral Polka..... Boos Miss Aschenbrenner
Piano Solo—Polacca Brillante..... Weber Miss Marteney
Clarinet Solo—8th Air Varie..... Brepsant Mr. Friedline

Selection—Tone Pictures of the North and South..... Bendix College Orchestra
Reading—Selected Miss Barantine
Saxophone Solo—Simple Aveu..... Thome Miss Ruth Miller

Violin Solo—Adoration... Borowski Miss Nesbit
March—Across the Rockies... Morse College Orchestra
Will H. Smith, Director of Orchestra.

"Tonight's the Night."

Tonight's the night! Meaning, of course that the members of the Marquette club and the many friends who received invitations to their annual May party are anticipating the big event of the season tonight. Everything is in readiness for the affair. The hall has been more elaborately decorated than for any of the former parties of the club, and the indications are for the largest attendance of recent years. Music will be furnished by the Marquette orchestra of ten pieces, a feature that will certainly be greatly appreciated by the many who will attend tonight. A number of out of town guests will be present.

Dine With Mrs. McKinstry.

Mrs. Ralph Copeland of Rockford and Mrs. Fay Terwilliger of Nelson took dinner with Mrs. McKinstry at 123 Second street and afterwards attended the Phidian Art entertainment which was held at Macabee hall. Mrs. Copeland returns to Sterling today where she is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Palmer.

Basket Social.

Miss Evelyn E. Gehant, teacher of the Seebach school, No. 64, China township, wishes to announce that on Friday evening, April 26, a school program and basket social will be given by the school. A nominal admission will be charged. Everybody come and enjoy a pleasant evening.

Important Masonic Meeting.

The Masonic meeting of Friendship lodge No. 7, A. F. & A. M., to be held next Saturday evening in this city, promises to be of unusual interest. A delegation of twenty-five members of Austin lodge, No. 850, A. F. & A. M., is to be present and have charge of the work. The ladies of the Eastern Star will serve supper at 7:30 o'clock. All members and visiting Masons are urged to be present.

To Lead Cotillions.

Dr. Owens and Messrs. R. C. Bovey, Jake Snyder, Irving Countrman and Gordon Utley will lead cotillion figures on Friday evening at dancing school, to be held in Rosbrook's hall and which promises to be a most enjoyable session. Mrs. Ruth Coffin Collins, instructor, desires all the pupils to be on hand early.

Gave Concerts.

Mrs. Douglas Harvey and Lucile Reynolds have returned from Chicago, where they have recently filled two concert engagements.

Chautauqua Circle.

The Chautauqua Circle will meet with Miss Dora Breed on Thursday night.

Knights and Ladies Meet.

The Knights and Ladies of Security will meet tonight in Union hall.

Mrs. Miller to Entertain.

Mrs. Hugh Miller will entertain the Lend a Hand society of the Baptist church Thursday evening.

AMBOY SECTION

Dr. Rose, optician, will be in his Amboy office Tuesday from 1 to 5. Office in Klein Building.

Amboy, Apr. 24—Mrs. John C. Leake of Dixon spent yesterday with her sister, Mrs. Adam Mynard. Mrs. Leake has just returned from California, where she and her husband spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richards are here for a few days visiting Mr. Richards' sister, Mrs. Emma Saguin.

Henry Ulrich of Lee Center was in town yesterday driving a fine new automobile which he has just purchased.

Mrs. Mary Paths was a Mendota visitor Monday.

Mrs. Sullivan went away yesterday morning with her two children.

W. F. Colson of Mendota was here yesterday.

The Junior class of the Amboy high school made a trip to LaSalle yesterday. They took the special train run by the Knights of Pythias. Mrs. Addie Ross accompanied by her little son Elmer, went to West Brooklyn this morning to spend the day with her father, D. O. Fairchild.

Mrs. Charles A. Berkeley, who was called to Wisconsin by the illness of her mother three weeks ago, returned home yesterday. She left her mother greatly improved.

John Reinhardt of Bradford was in town last evening.

Charles Sebach shipped a load of cattle from here last night.

Sherman Shaw of Lee Center shipped a load of stock last night from here.

P. E. O. Entertained.

Members and families of Chapter Members and families of Chapter A. C. Illinois P. E. O., will be entertained this evening by Prof. and Mrs. W. F. Strong at their home, 312 W. Third street.

Will Give Tea.

Mrs. Hester Ingraham will entertain with a tea Thursday afternoon, Mesdames Mary Noble, Louise Steel, Madame Forrest and her guest, Mrs. Lauder.

At Morrison Home.

Mrs. Lena Stocking Baker of Morrison is a guest at the C. B. Morrison home in Bluff Park.

Guild May Party.

The Guild May party to be held Monday evening, April 29th, in Rosbrook hall, promises to be one of the most entertaining events of the spring social season. The pleasant affair is given by St. Agnes Guild members. The beautiful decorations used at the Marquette club party this evening will also be utilized Monday evening. Heft's orchestra will play and Preston will cater. All details point to a delightful evening.

AMBOY HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS VISITED DIXON

Prof. G. W. Beattie and the pupils of the Senior class of the Amboy high school came to Dixon today to visit the court house and learn what they could of the manner in which the county business is transacted. They had hoped to witness the trial of a case but were unfortunate in that just as they arrived at the circuit court room the jury in the Parker vs. American Patriots case was just retiring from the room.

INSURANCE CASE IS IN JURY'S HANDS

The Parker vs. the American Patriots case, taken up in the circuit court yesterday, went to the jury at 10:30 this morning and that the jurors were not going to arrive at any conclusion for some time was indicated at 2:30, when after waiting the four hours for their return Judge Farrand left instructions for them to return a sealed verdict.

MILLER FANS.

Ward Miller of this city broke into yesterday's game between the Cubs and Pittsburgh as a pinch hitter for Three-Finger Brown. Miller was a victim of Babe Adams' curves, however, and fanned, the only one of the Cubs to go out by the whiff route.

SURELY TAKE "SYRUP OF FIGS" IF HEADACHY, BILIOUS, CONSTIPATED.

SWEETENS YOUR STOMACH, CLEARS YOUR HEAD AND THOROUGHLY CLEANSSES YOUR LIVER AND 30 FEET OF BOWELS OF SOUR BILE, FOUL GASES AND CLOGGED-UP WASTE

All those days when you feel miserable, headachy, bilious and dull are due to torpid liver and sluggish bowels. The days when your stomach is sour and full of gas, when you have indigestion the nights when your nerves twitch and you are restless and can't sleep could be avoided with a teaspoonful of delicious Syrup of Figs. Isn't it foolish too be distressed when there is such a pleasant way to overcome it? Give your inactive liver and ten yards of waste-clogged bowels a thorough cleansing this time. Put an end to constipation.

Take a teaspoonful of Syrup of Figs tonight sure and just see for yourself by morning, how gently but thoroughly all the sour bile, undigested fermenting food and clog-

ged up waste matter is moved on and out of your system—no nausea—no griping—no weakness.

You simply can't have your liver inactive and your thirty feet of bowels constipated with sour, decaying waste matter and feel well. The need of a laxative is a natural need, but with delicious Syrup of Figs you are not drugging yourself. Being composed entirely of luscious figs, senna and aromatics it can not injure.

Ask your druggist for the full name, "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna." Refuse, with scorn, any of the so-called Fig Syrup imitations. They are meant to deceive you. Look on the label The genuine, old reliable, bears the name, California Fig Syrup Company.

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EASY TO OPERATE

Prices Within Reach of Everybody

Is there any use of buying new brooms monthly throwing the dirt upon your nicely polished furniture and into your lungs just to say you have swept? No, not any more since the Vacuum Cleaner, of the Quikwork, James O'Neill Co., is within reach of all; so reasonable that you are almost forced to buy. Your lungs and your children's also are certainly worth our price. For one week the state manager, Mr. LeRoy, will sell to a few first buyers as an advertisement his machines at \$5.98 if you agree to use same one week and give a written testimonial as to its great merits, or return and get refund of money if not completely A. I. What's the use of paying \$10.00 or \$15.00 for the same thing we offer and

Demonstration Free of All Cost at the Nachusa House Hotel Parlor. Be sure and call for "QUIKWORK"

as there are lots of others out not any better and much higher priced. Call for LeRoy this week, any afternoon, for free demonstrations at Nachusa Hotel. We want to sell. We have the best to sell; that's why we can offer free demonstration and get testimonials by selling at almost cost.

Don't fail to call or drop your house number and the demonstrator will gladly call.

City National Bank

CHOOSING A BANK

IS ONE of the most IMPORTANT acts in the career of any firm or individual. A good banking connection is of MATERIAL help to one.

If you have no bank account or desire to change your present arrangements we offer you the excellent facilities of the City National:

The small depositor receives the same courteous consideration as the larger one.

VALUABLES, PAPERS AND JEWELRY

are safe here when you don't want them, and handy when you need them.

Our Safety Deposit Vault affords every safety, convenience and privacy.

It is burglar as well as fire-proof.

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The unnatural suffering of so many women at times can be relieved by a little care and proper help. Beecham's Pills give just the assistance needed. They act gently but surely; they correct faults of the system so certainly that you will find better conditions prevail

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Guess Scoop Will Have to Stick to that Old Winter Suit

DEMENTTOWN

Has anyone here seen Edythe? The old timers who used to brag about the severe weather of 1874 have been strangely silent since the first of the year. Have you noticed it?

Progress is not always appreciated. Proof? An old gentleman who probably lived in Dixon all his life, was walking down Galena avenue yesterday afternoon when he noticed the hole where the Loftus building used to stand. "My gracious," he exclaimed, "when did they have a fire there?"

Which shows that to keep posted people must take the Telegraph. That man doesn't; consequently he should not be blamed for not knowing anything about the improvements planned in Dixon.

Perpetual motion has been solved—the Lorimer investigation.

A Sterling democrat has resigned an office after holding it 40 years. He is believed to be the only democrat who ever held an office that long and as far as can be ascertained he's the only democrat who ever resigned from anything.

When we see a man who doesn't take an interest in baseball—well, to be strictly honest, we haven't seen one yet.

An Amboy railroad man who was brought through a serious illness by a nurse in the hospital in that city, expressed his thanks to her after being discharged from the hospital, in these terms: "I thank you very much ma'am, I shall never forget you. If ever there was a fallen angel, you're one."

Liberal Reward Offered.
Wanted—At least one full grown and healthy specimen of the Marriage Bug. Liberal price will be paid. Address CQD this office.

The above ad is inserted at the request of a number of handsome and lovable young ladies who are employed in one of the dry goods stores on First street—or is it Galena avenue. Last evening these young ladies were discussing the advantages of the new find—which is something like a hookworm—and were wondering where they could find one. One suggested that an appeal should be made to our congressman or his secretary, while another thought Maj. Tourtellott could assist in finding a good specimen for them. Still another conceived the happy idea of enlisting the aid of this col. in finding the much-wanted insect.

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Famous Picnic Hams
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W. C. JONES
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And Be Free From Worry
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Composed of over ONE MILLION policy holders with over TWO BILLION
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(with the company 22 years)

As for the ed. of this col. he has had all of the marrying he will ever care for, he declined firmly and kindly to enlist personally in the search, but has decided to devote a little of our valuable space to the crusade to relieve the lonely lives of the fair maidens. Therefore, specimens of the bug, properly muzzled and tied in such a manner that ye ed cannot be bitten (or do the marrying bugs sting one) will be received and transmitted to the seekers.

Goose Hollow Dope.
Miss Euphemia Huggins, our poetess of passion, is going to commit suicide by starvation. She has promised to write a number of articles for magazines.

Uncle Ezra Perkins sez a cold bottle of beer don't hurt nobody, but Hank Purdy sez Ezzy is a liar, for he was knocked senseless with one once when the barboy threw it at him when Hank was getting too boisterous down at the saloon.

A strange family has moved into the house next door to the saw mill. They must be quite some people to judge from their washin', 'cause there was six shirtwaists and a suit of pajamers out on the line at one time.

Miss Amy Startle, our popular milliner, is going to have three of her front teeth filled with gold and so she is scraping the gold leaf signs off her millinery emporium for that purpose.

Dramatic Notes

PRINCESS THEATRE.
The great pictorial drama of frontier life, the Indian Massacre, in two reels, will be shown at the Princess this evening. It is a thrilling picture showing the massacre of the pioneers by the redmen.

Developing Norway's Resources.
Norway's government maintains a society engaged in the reclaiming of marshes and swamp lands and developing the manufacture and use of peat.

Happiness.
"The time to be happy is now. The place to be happy is here. The way to be happy is to try and make somebody else so."—From The Philosophy of Ingersoll.

Radium Would Change Climate.
Certain philosophers or alchemists have figured that if enough radium were taken to the North Pole it would alter the climate all over the world.

Power of Two Words.
"I will," is a projectile that hits the mark; a power that moves mountains.—Henry Wood.

Well to Guard One's Thoughts.
The character of our thinking determines the nature of our ideals.

ST. JAMES.

Mrs. Henry Hess and daughters visited with Mrs. Martha Shippert Sunday.

Fred Shippert is on the sick list at present.

Miss Stella Shippert and sister Lillian were visitors to Mrs. Emily Blaine's Sunday evening.

Adolph Byers and housekeeper were callers at the Blaine home Sunday evening.

House cleaning and garden making is the order of the day.

Mrs. Martha Shippert was in Dixon on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Duffy were in Dixon to attend the funeral of M. Maloney.

The farmers are busy in the fields putting in the barley and oats.

D. E. Bunket was out on his farm today.

The school board had their election Saturday night at the Brick school house. Clint Wilhelm was re-elected for school director.

L. Phillips, Eldena's traveling grocery man, passed through our midst today.

LEE NOTES.

Farmers are at present plowing for corn.

Quite a number from this vicinity were in Shabbona for potatoes last week.

S. Maakestad, central committee-man, was in Dixon last Monday on business.

Daniel Larson was in Dixon last Monday for his naturalization papers.

Ira Baker went to Pawpaw Monday.

J. E. Johnson went north Wednesday.

Eddie Hanson on last Friday received a new Marselles corn sheller.

Mrs. John Arndt spent Tuesday with her parents in Rochelle.

Kearney Jacobson was here last week from Rock Falls.

Mrs. Martin Olson and Mrs. Inez Elde were the members having the mumps last week.

Miss Lena Johnson of Willow Creek submitted to an operation for appendicitis in Chicago last week.

Miss Jessie Olson went to Dixon Wednesday where she is taking instrumental music lessons twice each week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gallup of Dixon visited in town with friends the past week.

Mrs. Jennie Kittelson and daughter Flossie were in Aurora last Monday.

C. H. Nelson received a large gang plow Friday and a gasoline engine will come later, which will be used on his big farm in Canada.

Wm. Mullins has purchased the Shcoll farm of a fraction over 50 acres at \$175 per acre. The farm is 1 1/2 miles southeast of Lee.

A nice pair of hoboes were taken in Sunday. One answered to the description of one of the train robbers on the Rock Island road, but he says nit.

J. E. Sanborn served as delegate to the Woodmen convention at Elgin Wednesday, having been sent by Lee camp 428.

Roy Stage is happy again as his wife has returned from an extended visit in Freeport and Polo.

The late Thomas McCann of DeKalb was buried in the Catholic cemetery south of town on last Monday.

Martin Olson spent the past week at Radcliffe, Iowa, where he was called to see his dying mother who

AUTHOR'S DAUGHTER VICTIM.
Mrs. E. C. Carter, who was lost on the Titanic, was a daughter of Thomas Hughes, author of "Tom Brown's School Days."

was 80 years old. The funeral was held last Tuesday and Mr. Olson returned Saturday.

Mrs. Kate Hart of DeKalb died on Wednesday. Several weeks ago she was in a hospital at Aurora where she got no relief. Her remains were brought to Lee for burial on last Friday.

Lee Went Dry.

At the annual village election held in Lee Tuesday 80 votes were cast. All the candidates on the republican ticket were elected. The village went dry by the vote of 40 to 33 and the corporation expects to be without a saloon. The following aldermen were elected for a two years' term: M. L. Edwards, O. Halsne and George Beels Sr. Kinnie Ostewig clerk and O. C. Brown police magistrate.

THAT BAD COLD

Vapor Treatment Surely Does Clean Out that Stuffed up Head in Record Breaking Time

Don't try to break up a cold with dangerous stomach disturbing drugs. Get directly to the inflamed membrane by breathing HYOMEL (pronounce it High-o-me) Get a bottle for 95 cents at Rowland Bros. and try this rapid and economical treatment that thousands are using.

Into a bowl of boiling water pour a teaspoonful of HYOMEL, cover head and bowl with a towel, and breathe deep into the lungs the healing vapor that arises.

Breathe this vapor for five or ten minutes until head feels fine and clear, then go to bed and sleep soundly until morning. No cocaine or opium or harmful drugs in HYOMEL. It is guaranteed to end catarrh, or money back.

Victory to Cheerful Spirit.
To face life brightly as may be, to learn to laugh at minor troubles, to cultivate a sense of humor, all these mean fewer wrinkles and a longer youth. The Budget knows well one gallant woman upon whom trouble after trouble has been heaped, and who yet is beautiful at an age when many have laid aside every thought of trying to be otherwise than "decently covered," and who is fighting the battle of life, while her contemporaries are knitting by a fireside.—New York Tribune.

Are Learning Right Ways.
An English lady, long resident in Tokyo, once wrote to a friend that the impulse of her Japanese maids is always to sew on cuffs frills and other similar things topsy turvy and inside out. Since the publication of such reports the art of needlework has been greatly improved in Japan. Several of the English methods have been taught with great success, if only to judge by the lovely drawn thread work sold in great quantities in Great Britain.

Helpful Hint.
A good way to avoid getting the fingers lanky, if one has a tendency that way, is to save the fingers of discarded kid gloves and keep them in the writing desk, slipping one over the middle finger and another, if necessary, over the forefinger, when sitting down to write. This often saves time and annoyance when a note has to be written just before going out.

Gigantic Loaves of Bread.
The biggest loaves of bread baked to be eaten are those made in France or Italy. In the case of the pipe bread of the latter country, the loaves are between two and three feet in length, and occasionally even longer; while the French people make their loaves in the shape of very long rolls of bread ranging from four to five feet, and in a few instances over six feet in length.

LAWYERS.
We have stationery especially suited to your needs. Call No. 5 and ask to see samples. B. F. Shaw Printing Company.

Mistrusted Santa Claus.

As Christmas time drew near Bobby expressed a wish for some specially desired article. His mother suggested that he write to Santa Claus about it. "Mother," said the child, after some hesitation, "I think everything of Santa, an' I know how good he is an' everthing, but, mother, he's so awful busy that he forgets, sometimes! Last year, you 'member, I asked him for a toy goat an' he sent me four dogs. I wish you'd look after this one thing yourself!"

Should Have Heeded Ill Omen.

The wisest of us have our pet superstitions, one or more. The great house of Rothschild has unwritten canons on the subject. The head of the firm, if he met a pig on his way to the office, would not conclude any financial transaction on that day. On one occasion he determined to rise above his weakness, and, after meeting his omen, he arranged a large loan, by which the firm lost over a million sterling.

Functions of the Happy.

A happy man or woman is a better thing to find than a five-pound note. He or she is a radiating focus of good will; and their entrance into a room is as though another candle had been lighted. We need not care whether they could prove the forty-seventh proposition; they do a better thing than that—they practically demonstrate the great theorem of the Livableness of Life.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

Habit That Should Be Checked.

Twisting the mouth when talking is a habit pure and simple and one that you can overcome if you exercise sufficient will power. This habit makes more lines than age. Talk before a mirror and you will understand why so many lines are forming. A little piece of court plaster placed each side of the mouth will act as a constant reminder, until you have broken yourself of the habit.

Titled Men Chased Indians.

Many Oxford and Cambridge men in quest of the romantic enlisted in the Royal Northwest Mounted Police of Canada. Many dukes, earls and barons also look with pride to the days when they chased Indians and cattle thieves over the Canadian plains. These men for many years preserved the law and order in the wildest parts of Canada.

Queer Material for Nest.

The heron is not the only builder of strange nests. Wild pigeons, the blue rocks from which all our pigeons are descended, use whatever lies ready to their beaks. One of their nests was found a few years ago on the roof of the Crystal palace at London, consisting mainly of hairpins and pieces of wire gathered in the grounds.

To a Careful Child Only.

In seeking instances of thrift superinduced by the exigencies of modern life, let the sociologist not overlook this advertisement: "For rent, to a careful child, by a family going to Egypt for six months, dolls' house completely furnished, four dolls included. Terms reasonable."

Greatest Falls in Africa.

The Victoria Falls, on the Zambesi river in Africa, are the greatest in the world. The water falls four hundred feet, and at this place the river is a thousand feet wide. They were named for Queen Victoria, who ruled England, in 1855, when Dr. Livingstone discovered these falls.

Ipecac Needs Moist Soil.

Ipecac, a trailing plant, thrives best in clay soil along the banks of rivers. While it requires a great deal of moisture, it cannot live under water, and consequently in Colombia it is found at its best development in regions where the rivers do not overflow.

Riches Easily Gathered.

I am startled that God can make me so rich even with my own cheap stores. It needs but a few wisps of straw in the sun, some small word dropped, or one that has long lain silent in a book.—Thoreau.

No Sale for Them.

The market price of wild oats is pretty high for those who buy them, but they won't sell for anything.—Atchison Globe.



Relief from Rheumatism

Try Sloan's Liniment for your rheumatism—don't rub—just lay it on lightly. It goes straight to the sore spot, quickens the blood, limbers up the muscles and joints and stops the pain.

Here's Proof

Mrs. JULIA THOMAS of Jackson, Cal., writes: "I have used your Liniment for rheumatism with much success."

MARTIN J. TUNIS, 169 16th Ave., Paterson, N. J., writes:—"I was a cripple with rheumatism for two years and I could not move at all; had to be carried from place to place. I tried remedies and could not get better, until I tried Sloan's Liniment. One bottle fixed me up in good shape and now I always have a bottle in the house for my wife and children."

SLOAN'S LINIMENT

Kills any kind of pain. Good for Neuralgia, Toothache, Lumbago and Chest Pains. Sold by all dealers. Price 25c., 50c. and \$1.00. Sloan's book on Horses, Cattle, Hogs and Poultry sent free. Address DR. EARL S. SLOAN - Boston, Mass.

In A Railroad Wreck

A large shipment of Lady's High Grade Shoes, shipped March the First from New York by Express to Ford's Cash Shoe Store was wrecked in Indiana and did not arrive until March 20. The shipment contained the Famous Lady Health Shoe, Tread Easy with Cork Cushion sole and hollow rubber heel, the gypsy cut Nurse for tender feet, the Ford's Special \$3, those shoes are in high and low heels in Goodyear welt and hand turned. All width from A to EE button and lace, Blucher's up-to-minute in style. We have decided to put on sale April the 1st at the following low prices:

Tread Easy, sale price \$3, regular price \$3.50
Nurse shoe, " " \$2.65 " " \$3.00
Ford's \$3 Special, " " \$2.65 " " \$3.00

Come soon as these goods won't last long At these low prices.

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NEW HATS See them, price \$1.50 & \$2.00

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Suits Made to Measure

Prices \$12.50 to \$25.00

Todd's Hat Store

Opera Block Phone 465

ANNOUNCEMENT

We wish to announce that for two months we will sell at cost, all gas appliances outside of lamps.

This includes stoves, ranges, hot plates, water heaters, toasters and iron heaters, in fact anything manufactured for household use, using gas as a fuel.

Any article you may desire and which we do not have in stock we will be very glad to order for you from the maker and also guarantee you the same proposition regarding the cost.

It will soon be the time of the year when any device for lightening the burden of the housekeeper will be appreciated. Its your opportunity.

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BOYS AND GIRLSAll the boys and girls are invited
to Henry's Exclusive Shoe Store to-
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m. to see Senate, the \$5,000 live
goose.Senate is a wonder, a warm friend
of the boys and girls, and is a great
racer. Mr. Lebowich will give cash
prizes and shoes to the boys and
girls who can beat him.

DAUGHTER BORN.

Born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs.
John Remington, a daughter.

ELKS DEDICATE HOME.

The new \$50,000 home of the Ke-
wanee lodge of Elks was dedicated
Tuesday. Randall Parrish, well
known in Dixon, was toastmaster at
the banquet. Col. J. Hamilton Lew-
is, who was to deliver the address,
was unable to attend.

FARMERS WANT HELP.

Farmers of northern Iowa are mak-
ing frantic appeals to the state com-
missioner of labor for farm laborers.
Commissioner E. W. Vanduyne is un-
able to supply the daily demand. The
farmers offer \$25 to \$35 a month
and board. Idle men of Des Moines,
however, prefer to remain in town
in the hope of getting work on the
railroads or in building construc-
tion. Unless the farmers get help at
once there is danger that the plant-
ing of crops will be delayed.Mrs. G. G. Stewart of Nelson is in
Dixon for a few days.

GILLILAN'S SPEECH

AT THE RECENT OHIO BANQUET
IN PHILADELPHIAAgain President Taft and Noted
Humorist Are Guests of Honor

At Notable Feast

Strickland W. Gillilan was a speak-
er at the banquet of the Ohio So-
ciety at which President Taft was
the guest of honor. This is the sec-
ond time this year Mr. Gillilan has
spoken with the president. Gillilan's
speech at the banquet was as follows:Mr. Toastmaster, Mr. President,
and fellow exiles—I shall omit the
customary statement that I am glad
to be here. I have made that state-
ment so often, perfunctorily, only
to find out afterwards in pained sur-
prise that I was alone in my joy
over my presence, that I have elim-
inated it permanently, from my
stock come-packed banquet speech.
Circumstances have taught me cau-
tion in regard to public utterances.
Why, even in this city of brotherly
affection and other dispelled
illusions and broken-down traditions
not longer than two months ago
on St. Groundhog's day, to be exact,
a friend of mine arose in the pres-
ence of the bread of hospitality and,
yielding to a sudden and uncontroll-
able (but typewritten) burst of em-
otion, hurled contumely and other
verbal missiles and debris at the
newspapers until he succeeded in
pinning the Indian sign on his own
glowing presidential prospects.

"And while I have no presidential

prospects that my physician could
find the last time I uneasily request-
ed him to atethoscope me, yet one
can never tell. Forewarned is fore-
armed. And while four-armed is in
one sense quadrupedal (see Web-
ster) it does not necessarily mean
making an ass of one's self. So I
shall keep my fingers firmly crossed
and try not to queer any chances I
may be entertaining unawares.
Not that I want to be president.
That is almost as painful and un-
natural as being right. But one
should keep one's lightning rods up
right and greased and properly in-
sulated.I am intending to take the extreme
precaution, the year preceding the
next national attack of presidential
epilepsy, to write a confidential let-
ter (to some friend whom I can safely
entrust with the delicate—not to
say sacred—task of violating said
confidence at the psychological mo-
ment) declaring that I positively
and finally and irrevocably refuse
to be a candidate for the highest of-
fice, unless I can manage in some
way to secure the nomination. That
ought to fix things. The ideal ban-
quet speech is one that subtracts
heavily from the sum-total of hu-
man knowledge. The sins of omis-
sion are far fewer than the sins of
commission, at banquets. If one says
something wise and deep, it is said
obscurely and misunderstood; or
said too clearly and somebody is
peevish and begins slinging mud. One
should say nothing, say it clearly,
firmly and stand by it. Being misun-
derstood is a terrible thing. Being
understood by the boxes when we
play to the galleries is worse. One
should sterilize his talk, denature
it, disinfect it of meaning and
thought germs. Then, if the news-
papers credit you with having said
anything, your reputation has some-
thing on your character. Most ban-
quet speakers say nothing, but don't
know it. I say nothing intentionally.
That marks clearly the difference be-
tween a humorist and a common or
garden fool. Again, there are public
speakers who say nothing in such
an impressive way that it sounds as
if it might assay about \$500 to the
ton. But when some cruel listener
smelts it or freemills it or applies
the cyanide we are surprised at the
result. But few banqueters carry
their stamp mill or bottle of cyanide
with them, so the bluff goes unchal-
lenged. Nobody remembers what the
speaker said. They know the tune
but not the words. It is flappoodle de
luxe, piffle plenipotentiary, yet it has
the auricular effects of oratory. It is
grand opera in a defunct language.There are men who, with distend-
ed eyeballs, glistening fangs, dishev-
eled locks, wilted collar, bursting
brow veins, vermilion neck and deep
lavender visage, can beat upon the
table until the silver hits the ceil-
ing, the dishes break the chandeliers
and the salt-cellars are all upset for
bad luck, and declare with a scream
of rage through foamy lips that the
reason the Sahara desert is in its
present deplorable condition is lack
of moisture. They say this boldly,
recklessly, defiantly declaring by
their halldomes that they care not
what effect this committing them-
selves may have upon their political
prospects. Yet even such speeches
have been known to move strong
men (with weak minds) to tears
and nominations. Such speeches make
us mere professional smilesmiths
emerald with envy. But such speak-
ers, thank God, are becoming scarcer.
They are the goosebone prophets
of the spoken word. They have au-
gured so many trite auguries that
their mouths have become literal
augur holes and their speeches bores.
The time is coming—though it is not
here or I should be found elsewhere
tonight—when even at a banquet a
man must say something, shut up,
or sit down, or all three. But by that
stage of the millenium, banqueters
themselves will have been relegated
to the last limbo of Salem witch py-
rography, Bryan nominations and
other outworn and barbaric practices.
The speaker closed with a humorous
story pertinent to Ohioans, and an
original semi-rathetic poem, "The
Family Group."Ed. Note—Mr. Gillilan has friends
in Dixon while a guest at the James
N. Sterling home.Mrs. Paul Dillon of Sterling was
here Tuesday.Scott Hull of Sterling was in Dixon
today.Joe Glavin visited in Polo yes-
terday.E. R. Fitzgerald of Sterling was
a business visitor in this city yes-
terday.

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What Doubt Is.

Doubt is not itself a crime. All
manner of doubt, inquiry about all
manner of objects dwells in every rea-
sonable mind. It is the mystic work-
ing of the mind on the object it is
getting to know about.—Carlyle.

Wind Watch in the Morning.

Jewelers say that morning is the
best time to wind a watch, as the
tightening of the spring will protect
it from the ill effects of changes of
position.

BURGLARS BLOW SAFE.

Streator, Apr. 24—Burglars blew
open safes in the Wabash station,
Schlachter's planing mill and Leon-
ard Brothers' office. They also in-
vaded several residences, stealing
valuables.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

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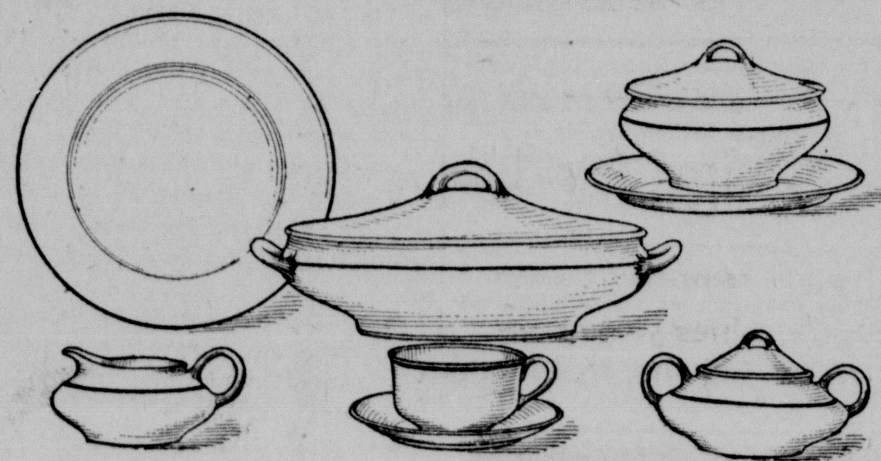
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MOTHER IS BURNED

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Iowa Falls, April 23.—Mrs. William Johnson, wife of a farmer near here, was burned to death and her five months old baby was suffocated by smoke, as the result of an explosion of kerosene while the woman was starting a fire Friday night.

MASKED ROBBERS MAKE

HAUL IN COLORADO
Grand Junction, Colo., Apr. 23.—Two masked men Saturday bound and gagged Agent Gilbert of the Globe Express company and robbed the safe of \$14,000 consigned to a mining company at Somerset, Colo.

Andrew Carnegie has during the last year given away more than \$40,000,000. His largest gift was \$25,000,000 to the Carnegie corporation of New York, especially authorized by the legislature at Albany to carry on the iron man's charity.

TO CLEAN HOUSE WITHOUT DIS-

QUIET TO THE FAMILY
It is a mistake to begin housecleaning too early in the season. If it is done while winter is still with us, dust will accumulate again from the furnace, mud will be tracked into the house and the bright days of real spring will be met by rooms already grown dingy.

SHOOTS NEGRESS.

Rock Island, Apr. 24—Geo. Payne, a colored teamster, shot Mary Bell, a negress, today and then killed himself. The woman may recover.

COMMISSION TO MEET.

At a meeting of the Illinois railroad and warehouse commission, to be held in Chicago May 8, important changes in freight classification will be considered. The commission has again docketed the petition of the Illinois freight committee to increase the minimum car load rate on property lower than third class from 24,000 to 30,000 pounds.

"A stitch in time saves nine" is more than true with a typewriter; they always go wrong when one is busiest. Money saved by having them thoroughly overhauled each year. H. J. Nelson at Dewey Hotel.

LOCAL UNDERTAKERS ENTERPRISING MEN

MORRIS & PRESTON HAVE BEAUTIFUL AND MODERN ESTABLISHMENT.

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On the first floor is found the general office with its complete equipment and cork carpet floor covering to the right through large sliding doors is the waiting parlor with its tinted walls, massive furniture, beautiful chandelier, large soft rugs of pleasing pattern and dainty lace curtains. From the middle of the farthest side of the office through a large circular archway hung with tasty portieres you are admitted to the large and beautiful chapel equipped with modern furniture, pretty fixtures and waxed floor covered with beautiful soft rugs. The chapel is of sufficient size for any ordinary occasion but should more room be required, there as if by magic touch the partition between it and the reception parlor disappears and all the space in that large room is also available.

At the end of a long hall leading from the office is a nice light room devoted entirely to picture framing, and along the opposite side of the hall are closets, toilet rooms and sink.

The lower floor is reached either by elevator or broad, easy stairway and here is found a large exclusive morgue room painted pure white, furnished with all the latest modern tools and apparatus. This room also has rear outside doors opening onto a walk extending to the level of the street grade. The elevator is located in this room.

To the left at the foot of the stairs is a large workroom.

The members of the firm are to be complimented for their enterprise in introducing and making possible the chapel plan.

THE RIGHT KIND OF A HUSTLER

There is a good story concerning a certain trip of inspection, when Louis Hill and a party of officials were taking a peek at the station agents somewhere along the line in Minnesota. At a station we may call Oscarville an agent, perhaps forewarned, was observed frantically moving trucks and "cleaning up."

"There's a hustler for you," said one of the party.

"Humph," said Hill.

At another station the agent met them smilingly, smoking a good cigar and clad in his best clothes. He was frankly idling, yet nothing was asked.

"Well what do you think of that?" commented one of Hill's friends. "There's an agent who has 'time to loaf.'"

"Humph," said Hill.

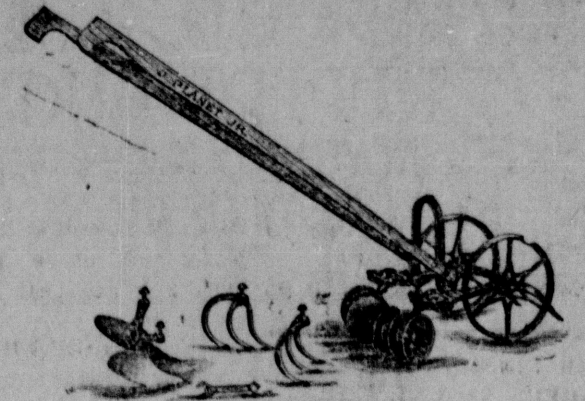
A month later the "loafer" was promoted.

"If a man can get work done without doing it himself, he's the man for me," was the explanation of the railroad president. — Letters from Middle West, in the May Metropolis.

FALLING GLASS SCALPS CHILD

At Lincoln, Ill., the first of this week, a gust of wind blowing down a pane of glass from a grocery store window in front of which a group of children were playing, cost the life of 3-year-old Stevena Kopp, who was scalped by the glass.

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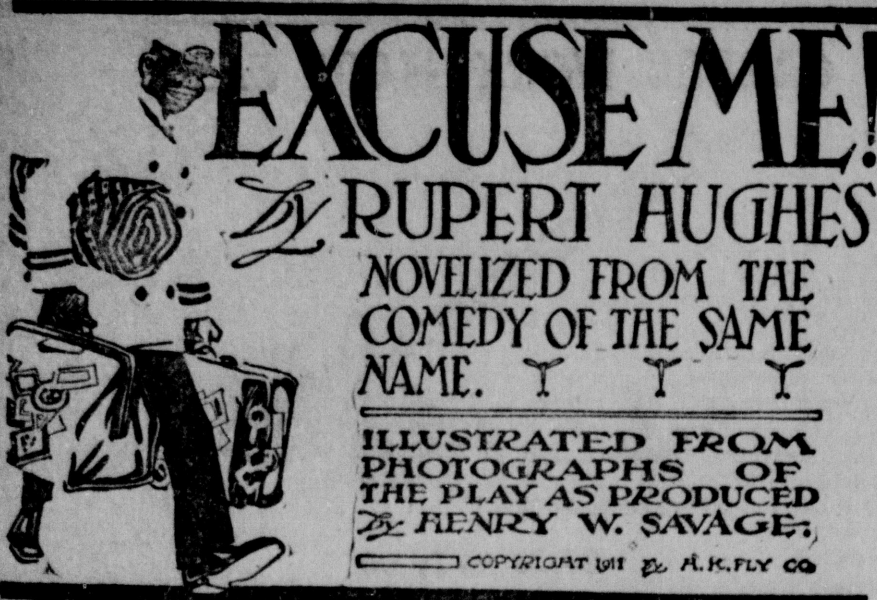
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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I.—Lieut. Harry Mallory is ordered to the Philippines. He and Marjorie Newton decide to elope, but wreck of taxicab prevents their seeing minister on the way to the train.

CHAPTER II.—Transcontinental train is taking on passengers. Porter has a lively time with an Englishman and Ira Lathrop, a Yankee business man.

CHAPTER III.—The elopers have an exciting time getting to the train.

CHAPTER IV.—"Little Jimmie" Wellington, bound for Reno to get a divorce, boards train in maddened condition. Later Mrs. Jimmie appears.

CHAPTER V.—She is also bound for Reno with same object. Likewise Mrs. Sammy Whitcomb.

CHAPTER VI.—Latter blames Mrs. Jimmie for her marital troubles. Claim of Mallory decorate bridal berth.

CHAPTER VII.—Rev. and Mrs. Temple start on a vacation. They decide to cut loose and Temple removes evidence of his calling.

CHAPTER VIII.—Marjorie decides to let Mallory proceed alone, but in starts while they are lost in farewell.

CHAPTER IX.—Passengers join Mallory's classmates in giving couple wedding hazing.

CHAPTER X.—Marjorie is distracted over their situation.

CHAPTER XI.—Ira Lathrop, woman-hating backer, discovers an old sweetheart, Anne Astelle, a fellow passenger.

CHAPTER XII.—Mallory vainly hunts for a preacher among the passengers.

CHAPTER XIII.—Mrs. Wellington hears Little Jimmie's voice. Later she meets Mrs. Whitcomb.

CHAPTER XIV.—Mallory reports to Marjorie his failure to find a preacher.

CHAPTER XV.—They decide to pretend a quarrel and Mallory finds a vacant berth.

CHAPTER XVI.—Mrs. Jimmie discovers Wellington on the train.

CHAPTER XVII.—Mallory again makes an unsuccessful hunt for a preacher.

CHAPTER XVIII.—Dr. Temple poses as a physician. Mrs. Temple is induced by Mrs. Wellington to smoke a cigar.

CHAPTER XIX.—Sight of preacher on a station platform raises Mallory's hopes, but he takes another train.

CHAPTER XX.—Missing hand baggage compels the couple to borrow from passengers.

CHAPTER XXI.—Jimmie gets a clinder in his eye and Mrs. Jimmie gives first-aid. Coolness is then resumed.

CHAPTER XXII.—Still no clergyman. More borrowing.

CHAPTER XXIII.—Dr. Temple puzzled by behavior of different couples.

CHAPTER XXIV.—Marjorie's jealousy aroused by Mallory's baseball jargon.

CHAPTER XXV.—Marjorie suggests wrecking the train in hopes that accident will produce a preacher.

CHAPTER XXVI.—Marjorie tries to induce the conductor to hold the train so she can shop.

CHAPTER XXVII.—Marjorie's dog is missing. She pulls the cord, stopping the train. Conductor restores dog and lovers quarrel.

CHAPTER XXVIII.—Lathrop wires for a preacher to marry him and Miss Gattie. Mallory tells Lathrop of his predicament and arranges to borrow the preacher.

CHAPTER XXIX.—Kitty Jewell, former sweetheart of Mallory's, appears and arouses Marjorie's jealousy.

CHAPTER XXXV.

Mr. and Mrs. Little Jimmie. Mrs. Sammy Whitcomb had longed for the sweet privilege of squaring matters with Mrs. Jimmie Wellington. Sneers and back-biting, shrugs and shudders of contempt were poor compensation for the ever-vivid fact that Mrs. Wellington had proved attractive to her Sammy while Mrs. Wellington's Jimmie never looked at Mrs. Whitcomb. Or if he did, his eyes had been so blurred that he had seen two of her—and avoided both.

Yesterday she had overheard Jimmie vow sobriety. Today his shining morning face showed that he had kept his word. She could hardly wait to begin the flirtation which, she trusted, would render Mrs. Wellington helplessly furious for six long Reno months.

The Divorce Drummer interposed and held Jimmie prisoner for a time, but as soon as Mr. Baumann released him, Mrs. Whitcomb apprehended him. With a smile that beckoned and with eyes that went out like far-cast fishhooks, she drew Leviathan into her net.

She reeled him in and he ploughed in the seat opposite. What she took for bashfulness was reluctance. To add the last charm to her success, Mrs. Wellington arrived to see it. Mrs. Whitcomb saw the lonely Ashton rise and offer her the seat facing him. Mrs. Wellington took it and sat down with the back of her head so close to the back of Mr. Wellington's head that the feather in her hat tickled his neck.

Jimmie Wellington had seen his wife pass by. To his sober eyes she was a fine sight as she moved up the aisle. In his alcohol-empowered mind the keen sense of wrong endured that had driven him forth to Reno began to lose its edge. His own

soul appealed from Jimmie drunk to Jimmie sober. The appellate judge began to reverse the lower court's decision, point by point.

He felt a sudden recrudescence of jealousy as he heard Ashton's voice unctuously, flirtatiously offering his wife hospitality. He wanted to trounce Ashton. But what right had he to defend from gallantry the woman he was about to forswear before the world? Jimmie's soul was in turmoil, and Mrs. Whitcomb's pretty face and alluring smile only annoyed him.

She had made several gracious speeches before he quite comprehended any of them. Then he realized that she was saying, "I'm so glad you're going to stay at Reno, Mr. Wellington."

"Thank you. So am I," he mumbled, trying to look interested and wishing that his wife's plume would not tickle his neck.

Mrs. Whitcomb went on, leaning closer: "We two poor mistreated wretches must try to console one another, mustn't we?"

"Yes,—yes,—we must," Wellington nodded, with a sickly cheer.

Mrs. Whitcomb leaned a little closer. "Do you know that I feel almost related to you, Mr. Wellington?"

"Related?" he echoed, "you?—to me? How?"

"My husband knew your wife so well."

Somehow a wave of jealous rage surged over him, and he growled: "Your husband is a scoundrel."

Mrs. Whitcomb's smile turned to vinegar: "Oh, I can't permit you to slander the poor boy behind his back. It was all your wife's fault."

Wellington amazed himself by his own bravery when he heard himself volleys back: "And I can't permit you to slander my wife behind her back. It was all your husband's fault."

Mrs. Jimmie overheard this behind her back, and it strangely thrilled her. She ignored Ashton's existence and listened for Mrs. Whitcomb's next retort. It consisted of a simple, icy drawl: "I think I'll go to breakfast."

She seemed to pick up Ashton with her eyes as she glided by, for, finding himself unnoticed, he rose with a careless: "I think I'll go to breakfast," and followed Mrs. Whitcomb.

The Wellingtons sat drowsily for some exciting seconds, and then on a sudden impulse, Mrs. Jimmie rose, knelt in the seat and spoke across the back of it:

"It was very nice of you to defend me, Jimmie—er—James."

Wellington almost dislocated several joints in rising quickly and whirling round at the cordiality of her tone. But his smile vanished at her last word. He protested, feebly: "James sounds so like a—er—a butler. Can't you call me Little Jimmie again?"

Mrs. Wellington smiled indulgently: "Well, since it's the last time. Good-bye, Little Jimmie." And she put out her hand. He seized it hungrily and clung to it: "Good-bye?—aren't you getting off at Reno?"

"Yes, but—"

"So am I—Lucetta."

"But we can't afford to be seen together."

Still holding her hand, he temporized: "We've got to stay married for six months at least—while we establish a residence. Couldn't we—er—couldn't we establish a residence—er—together?"

Mrs. Wellington's eyes grew a little sad, as she answered: "It would be too lonesome waiting for you to roll home."

Jimmie stared at her. He felt the regret in her voice and took strange courage from it. He hauled from his pocket his huge flask, and said quickly: "Well, if you're jealous of this, I'll promise to cork it up forever."

She shook her head skeptically: "You couldn't."

"Just to prove it," he said, "I'll chuck it out of the window."

He flung up the sash and made ready to hurl his enemy into the flying landscape.

"Bravo!" cried Mrs. Wellington. But even as his hand was about to let go, he tightened his clutch again, and pondered: "It seems a shame to waste it."

"I thought so," said Mrs. Jimmie, drooping perceptibly. Her husband began to feel that, after all, she cared what became of him.

"I'll tell you," he said, "I'll give it to old Doc Temple. He takes his straight."

"Fine!"

He turned towards the seat where the clergyman and his wife were sitting, oblivious of the drama of reconciliation playing so close at hand. Little Jimmie paused, caressed the flask, and kissed it. "Good-bye, old playmate!" Then, tossing his head with bravado, he reached out and touched the clergyman's shoulder. Dr. Temple turned and rose with a questioning look. Wellington put the flask

in his hand and chuckled: "Merry Christmas!"

"But, my good man—" the preacher objected, finding in his hand a donation about as welcome and as wily as a strange baby. Wellington winked: "It may come in handy for—your patients."

And now, struck with a sudden idea, Mrs. Wellington spoke: "Oh, Mrs. Temple."

"Yes, my dear," said the little old lady, rising. Mrs. Wellington placed in her hand a small portfolio and laughed: "Happy New Year!"

Mrs. Temple stared at her gift and gasped: "Great heavens! Your cigars!"

"They'll be such a consolation," Mrs. Wellington explained, "while the doctor is out with his patients."

Dr. Temple and Mrs. Temple looked at each other in dismay, then at the flask and the cigars, then at the Wellingtons, then they stammered: "Thank you so much," and sank back.

Wellington stared at his wife: "Lucetta, are you sincere?"

"Jimmie, I promise you I'll never smoke another cigar."

"My love!" he cried, and seized her hand. "You know I always said you were a queen among women, Lucetta."

She beamed back at him: "And you always were the prince of good fellows, Jimmie." Then she almost blushed as she murmured, almost shyly: "May I pour your coffee for you again this morning?"

"For life," he whispered, and they moved up the aisle, arm in arm, bumping from seat to seat and not knowing it.

When Mrs. Whitcomb, seated in the dining-car, saw Mrs. Little Jimmie pour Mr. Little Jimmie's coffee, she choked on hers. She vowed that she would not permit those odious Wellingtons to make fools of her and her Sammy. She resolved to telegraph Sammy that she had changed her mind about divorcing him, and order him to take the first train west and meet her half-way on her journey home.

Disconcerted by Sneeze.

The world has now well-nigh forgotten M. Vivier, the once famous French-horn player, who was so unnerved by the late Lord Houghton's blowing his nose at a critical moment of his performance that he threw up all his London engagements. "Ah," he would say after this, "the English have terrible noses. They remind you of the day of judgment."

Reason for His Belief.

A noted German astronomer is of the firm belief that Mars is inhabited. He recently explained his belief by remarking that if there were 10,000,000 houses all fitted alike in the world and one was known to be inhabited it would be a logical inference to suppose that all were.

Milton Foresaw America?

Methinks I see in my mind a noble and puissant nation rousing herself like a strong man after sleep; and shaking her invincible locks; methinks I see her as an eagle mewing her mighty youth, and kindling her undazzled eyes at the full midday beam.—John Milton.

Ultimately Reach the Goal.

"Two hearts that beat as one" may jangle sometimes, not because they are actually hostile, but just because they lose step. It makes awkward marching when you are out of step with your comrade, but you both keep on in the same direction and with the same purpose, all the time.

Have Their Own Methods.

The daughters of the land of flowers sometimes curiously reverse European methods. They needle their thread instead of threading their needle, and instead of running their needle through the cloth, they hold it still and run the cloth upon it.

Proof of Snake's Wisdom.

Mrs. Reider (with paper)—I see that the big anaconda up at the Zoo won't eat chickens unless they are alive. Mr. Reider—Wise old snake! That's the only way to beat the cold storage game.—Puck.

Two Pleasant Experiences.

To sing with a toothache is as pleasant as having your friend borrow money when you're trying to borrow from him.

Undeserving of Sympathy.

There is no use wasting sympathy on a man who can't be happy with good health, good meals and good weather.

Verdict May Be Reserved.

The trouble about becoming famous overnight is that there's tomorrow coming.

Poor Interest.

Other people may be interested in your troubles, but if they are their interest isn't likely to be worth much.

Real Difficulty.

It is not difficult to tell the truth; the difficulty is to get the truth believed.

And Rarely Profitable.

The things men do for spite are seldom worth doing.

MEXICAN BANDITS SLAY AMERICANS

Assassinate and Torture Men and Women From United States.

AWFUL STORY BY STEAMER

Refugees From Vera Cruz Arriving at Galveston Say They Were Forced to Leave Lands, Homes, Furniture, All Else.

Galveston, Tex., April 24.—Forty-seven passengers, all but one citizens of the United States, who have arrived here from Vera Cruz on the steamer Texas, tell of alleged torture and assassination of Americans in the republic. All the refugees left their lands, homes, furniture and everything they possessed, except enough money for passage and the clothes on their backs. Among the entire number there are only four or five trunks.

M. H. Ish, one of the refugees, told of the murder of an American citizen named Walt.

Is Killed by Bandits. "Mr. Walt was a neighbor to me," said Mr. Ish. "He had sold several head of cattle and hidden the money. A band of desperadoes went to his hacienda and demanded money. Failing to get it, they deliberately beheaded him with their machetes, herded his cattle together and drove them off. There are many instances just like this."

"We lived in a little settlement where a colony of eleven American families had founded the town of Sanburn. All these eleven families left because we were afraid to remain longer, knowing we would all be killed or tortured."

Woman Victim of Cruelty.

John T. McGee, a wealthy planter, who went to Mexico two years ago, returned to America minus more than \$20,000, and left behind land and livestock. Mr. McGee tells of alleged cruelties practiced on an American woman now in the hospital at Mexico City.

"The bandits visited the home of Mr. Shay, one of my neighbors, about a week before I left the settlement," said Mr. McGee, "and demanded money and guns. He gave them about \$12 and one gun, saying that was all he had on the place."

"The band then left, but returned to Shay's place and demanded more money and arms. Being refused, they took Mrs. Shay, tied her down and began beating her feet."

Pay to Save Woman.

"Mr. Shay and his son, to stop the torture, gave four guns and \$800 in money to the desperadoes, who, after a final beating of the woman, left the place."

"What has been true of the Shay family has been likewise true of scores of other Americans."

Mexicans Tear Up American Flag.

San Antonio, Tex., April 24.—One hundred engineers and conductors, formerly employees of the National Lines of Mexico, called at Fort Sam Houston here and offered their services to the United States government should it be necessary to send troops into Mexico. They told of cruelty to men, insults to women, pillage and robbery perpetrated by bands of guerrillas. They also told of hatred in Mexico for all Americans and said the American flag was hissed in Mexico City. In other parts of the republic they had seen the same flag pulled off its staff, torn to pieces and trampled in the dust.

Foil Plot to Kill Madero.

Mexico City, April 24.—With the arrest of Alfredo Robles Dominguez, formerly one of President Madero's trusted lieutenants, the secret police assert a conspiracy against the government was frustrated. The conspirators are alleged to have had in view the assassination of the president. Dominguez was treasurer of the Madero revolutionists in the war to overthrow Diaz.

The chamber of deputies, after a stormy session, passed a measure urged by President Madero to increase the army to 60,000 men.

HOME RULE BILL ACCEPTED

Irish Nationalist Convention Approves Premier Asquith's Measure.

Dublin, April 24.—Amid a scene of wild enthusiasm and the unfurling of the green flag the Irish nationalist convention accepted the government bill giving Ireland home rule. Although acceptance in principle of the home rule bill was a foregone conclusion there was enthusiasm among the delegates and salvos of cheers were heard as John E. Redmond described the third home rule bill as the most satisfactory measure ever offered to Ireland.

Letters to Actress Cause Arrest.

Rock Island, Ill., April 24.—Walter Harder was taken to Peoria by a federal officer on a warrant charging misuse of mails. The case was the outgrowth of letters to Lillian Russell.

Seize Rebel's Ordnance.

Marena, Tex., April 24.—Deputy United States marshals have seized two machine guns, 30 rifles and 70,000 rounds of ammunition shipped from El Paso to the Mexican federal garrison at Ojinaga.

NEWS OF ILLINOIS

A Telegraphic Chronicle of State Happenings.

ROCK ISLAND MAYOR INDICTED

Grand Jurors Charge H. M. Schriver With Assault With Intent to Inflict Great Bodily Injury on Editor Looney.

Rock Island, April 24.—A grand jury indictment was returned against Mayor H. M. Schriver, charging him with assault with intent to inflict great bodily injury on John Looney, publisher of the Rock Island News. Schriver beat Looney in police headquarters after Looney had been arrested following the publication in his paper of a scandalous attack upon the mayor and the incident played a part in the agitation that preceded the rioting here. Schriver's bond was fixed at \$2,000 and eight leading citizens volunteered as his bondsmen.

To Hold Motor Boat Races on Canal.

Bloomington, April 24.—The recently organized Twin City Power Boat club, composed of motor boat owners along the Illinois river and Illinois-Michigan canal, has voted to construct a boathouse at a convenient point near La Salle. F. B. Gerard and E. C. Stafford, members of the club, have two hydroplanes which will probably be the fastest craft in the Illinois valley, capable of developing a speed of thirty miles an hour. At the last meeting of the recently organized Joliet Motor Boat club, twenty new members were admitted and various amusement features for the summer discussed. A series of races on the canal will be arranged. Buoy will be placed at dangerous points along the canal and unsightly rubbish along the banks will be removed.

Leaves Record in Longevity.

Princeton, April 24.—The death of Samuel Cook at Silverton, Ore., was the first in a family group of four brothers, who had a record for longevity. Their ages totaled 343 years. Samuel was eighty-four, his brother H. C. Cook of Princeton is ninety-one; Joseph, of Berkeley, Cal., is eighty-six, and C. B. Cook of Princeton is eighty-two. The family, which is of Puritan stock, is descended from Francis Cook, who came over in the Mayflower. The father of these long-lived brothers was a cousin of Jay Cooke, the noted Philadelphia banker, who negotiated the government loan that financed the Civil war.

Rioting at Zion City.

Zion City, April 24.—Fifty deputy sheriffs have been sworn for riot duty here as a result of disturbances owing to efforts by outside industries to find foothold in Zion City. Followers of Wilbur Glenn Voliva, successor to the authority of John Alexander Dowie, have resented the appearance of employees of a telephone apparatus factory which sought a site here. Crowds have menaced the trains, which brought in the non-Zionist work people. The use of tobacco by the non-Zionist operatives is said to have caused the antagonism.

Illini Loses First Game.

Urbana, April 24.—Illinois was defeated on its home ground for the first time in three years, when Hugo Bezdek's Arkansas team won from the remnants of the once proud Illini, 15 to 6. The illness of Weber left "Shorty" Thomas the only "I" man on the team, and he was obliged to fill in at short. Coach Huff used a relay of Pitchers Gerton, Kay and Thomas, all three being liberally battered by the razor-backs.

Grant Park Scene of Ruin.

Grant Park, April 24.—Grant Park stood directly in the path of the tornado that swept parts of Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin and is now a scene of ruin. Nearly fifty residents of the town were seriously injured by flying debris and scores of houses fell crashing to the ground, burying their inmates in a chaos of household goods and masonry.

Town Plans for Hospital.

Mount Carmel, April 24.—A movement, backed by the Catholic church here, has been started for the erection of a hospital in Mount Carmel. No definite plans have been made yet, but at a meeting of the representative business men of the city it was decided that everything will be done to secure the building.

Sportsmen Plan Tournament.

Peoria, April 24.—Sportsmen of Peoria are engaged in raising a fund of \$1,000 to defray the expenses of the annual tournament of the Illinois Sportsmen's association which will be given in this city May 15, 16 and 17. Five hundred sharpshooters are expected to attend.

Would Make Service More Attractive.

Warren, April 24.—The Chicago conference of the Evangelical Lutheran synod of Ohio and other states decided to introduce changes in service to make divine service more attractive.

Woman, 95, Becomes Voter.

Joliet, April 24.—Although ninety-five years old, Mrs. Harriett Warden of Lockport cast a school election ballot, for the first time making use of the suffrage provided for school elections.

THREATENED RAIL STRIKE AVERTED

Both Sides Accept Judge Knapp's and Commissioner Neill's Mediation Offer.

HOLDING CONFERENCE TODAY

Believed That Differences Between Managers and Engineers Will Be Satisfactorily Arranged—Taft Does Not Reply.

New York, April 24.—The threatened railroad strike has been averted. Both sides have accepted the offer of mediation by Judge Martin A. Knapp of the United States commerce court and Charles P. Neill, commissioner of labor. They began their work today and the prospect is that the differences between the railroad managers of the 50 eastern lines affected and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will be amicably adjusted.

Should mediation fail, the next step will be arbitration. Under the Erdman act, passed in 1898, for settlement of disputes between interstate railroads and their employees, if such a dispute cannot be settled by mediation, it is provided that a board of arbitration may be appointed. This board shall consist of an arbitrator named by the labor union and one by the railroads, the third to be selected by them. If the third arbitrator is not agreed upon within five days after the railroads and the union have made their selections, he will be appointed by the government. The decision of this board will be binding upon both sides for a year.

Strike Would Cause Untold Suffering.

Commissioner Neill was joined today by Judge Knapp, who left Washington as soon as he received word that the railroad managers had agreed to mediation. Grand Chief Stone of the brotherhood had previously accepted the offer of mediation.

When he received the managers' letter of acceptance Commissioner Neill arranged for a conference with the managers today which includes Judge Knapp, and later with Chief Stone and his associates. In his judgment only a few conferences will be required to reach an agreement.

Chief Stone said he had great confidence in the ability of the mediators to settle the dispute. Judge Knapp, he recalled, had been successful in settling every labor controversy into which he had been called. He said he would hold all the members of his committee here, however, pending the outcome.

Taft Does Not Reply.

Kansas City, Mo., April 24.—No reply has been received to the message sent to President Taft by the Federation of Federations, formed here. When the expected answer to the request for federal intervention in the strike of the railway carmen on the Harriman lines was not received, the convention adjourned.

If the answer from the president is not received soon the international presidents of the affiliated unions will order a referendum vote of the 300,000 men as to whether all shall strike. The vote, explain the officers, will not be in sympathy with the men now out, but will be because they believe no effort will be made to adjust future grievances.

Books of Youth.

The books that charmed us in youth recall the delight over afterwards; we are hardly persuaded there are any like them, any deserving equally our affections. Fortunate if the best fall in our way during this susceptible and forming periods of our lives.—Alcott.

Old at Three Years of Age.

If men lived on Saturn they would be old at three years of age. Saturn's

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89tf

LOST. Will the person who by mis-
take took umbrella (large black
one with name Mrs. E. H. Thomas
printed inside) from the meeting of
the D. A. R. on last Saturday after-
noon please return it and receive
her own, which she left in place of
the other? Mrs. T. H. Eustace, Na-
chusa House. 84tf

FOUND. Small purse. Owner may
have same by calling at this office,
paying for ad. and identifying purse.
94 3

LOST. Pair of long black kid gloves
on Sunday afternoon. Leave at Na-
chusa Hotel. Anna Buckingham.
95 3*

One of the Largest Elephants.
A recent writer in the Field news-
paper gives the dimensions of an old
Indian elephant, which would scarcely
have been much inferior in size to a
mastodon. According to his account
the animal measured 11½ feet in
height at the shoulders, 25 feet 5
inches from the tip of the trunk to
the end of the tail. The distance
from the tip of the trunk to one eye
was 7 feet; from one eye to the tail
nearly 13½ feet, and the tail was 4½
feet in length. The tusks were 5 feet
2 inches long.—Harper's Monthly
Magazine.

Freaks of Nature.

Some naturalists who have been to
the antarctic and the higher regions
of the Alps, have noticed flies with
out wings—flies that look more like
ants. Wondering whether cold had
anything to do with this wingless con-
dition, they took wasps, just hatched,
and kept them in an icebox for 48
hours. Result: Wingless wasps.
They tried the same experiment with
several other kinds of insects and
always with the same result.

Feminine Philosophy.

Lady Mary Wortley Montagu wrote
from Venice at the age of sixty-eight:
"It is eleven years since I have seen
my figure in a glass; the last reflec-
tion I saw there was so disagreeable
I resolved to spare myself such mortifi-
cation for the future, and shall con-
tinue this resolution to my life's end.
To indulge all pleasing amusements
and avoid all images that give dis-
turbance, in my opinion, the best meth-
od to attain or confirm health."

Majesty of Time.

That great mystery of Time, were
there no other; the illimitable, silent,
never resting thing called Time, roll-
ing, rushing on, swift, silent, like an
all-embracing ocean tide, on which we
and all the universe swim like exhal-
ations, like apparitions which are, and
then are not; this is forever very lit-
erally a miracle; a thing to strike us
dumb, for we have no word to speak
about it.—Carlyle.

Mystery of the Pyramids.

One of the mysteries of the great
pyramids in Egypt is how they were
built in the sand. How did the slaves
lift these gigantic boulders into place,
especially since that was in the days
when machines were unknown. Sa-
vants and historians believe sloping
ways were built leading to the pyra-
mids and the great stones hauled into
place.

Tobacco Raising in Ireland.

Irish tobacco and Irish cigars and
cigarettes are bought in Dublin with
patriotic pride and smoked with en-
joyment, and it may be only a matter
of time when Irish cigarettes will be
known the smoking world over. The
raising of tobacco in Ireland is one
of the new industries which are being
undertaken, and the quality is pro-
nounced good.

Past and Future.

"She is a woman with a past," said
the Suspicious Neighbor, with sup-
pressed horror. "Well," said the Old
Neighbor, "she's better off than the
rest of us, if that's all. I'm afraid
most of us have something coming to
us." And it was so. You unheaven
your past, but what's coming you may
sidestep.

Cheerful Philosopher.

Fontenelle, the French writer, was
always cheerful, and this is perhaps
why he lived to be one hundred years
old. He used to say: "Without
cheerfulness, what is philosophy
worth?" When about to die, he said:
"I do not suffer, my friend; I only
feel a certain difficulty in living."

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Corn—
May 78 3/4 79 3/4 78 3/4 79 3/4
July 76 3/4 77 3/4 76 3/4 77 1/4
Sept 74 3/4 75 74 3/4 75

Oats—
May 57 1/2 57 1/2 57 57 1/2
July 54 1/2 54 1/2 53 3/4 54 1/2
Sept 43 1/2 44 43 1/2 44

Pork—
May 1802 1825 1802 1825
July 1842 1865 1842 1865

Lard—
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July 1045 1055 1045 1052

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*Daily except Sunday,
Louth Bound.

*123 Express 11:15 a. m.
*131 Clinton Exp. 5:10 p. m.
*191 Amboy Fri. 8:50 a. m.

North Bound.

*132 Ft. Dodge Exp. 9:50 a. m.
1124 Local Mail 5:30 p. m.
*192 Freeport Fri. 12:30 p. m.

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East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago
5 3:21 a. m. 6:45 a. m.
10 5:46 a. m. 8:30 a. m.
24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 a. m.
28 7:21 a. m. 10:15 a. m.
8 8:33 a. m. 11:20 a. m.
14 10:55 a. m. 1:30 p. m.
20 11:15 a. m. d'ly ex Sun 2:40 p. m.
18 4:04 p. m. d'ly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.
100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:25 p. m.
74 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon
17 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:14 a. m.
99 7:30 a. m. Sun only 10:43 a. m.
13 9:30 a. m. 12:06 p. m.
19 12:30 p. m. ex Sun 3:43 p. m.
27 4:35 p. m. 7:29 p. m.
*11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.
25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.
*1 8:30 p. m. 11:07 p. m.
7 10:16 p. m. 12:53 a. m.
8 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.
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FORTY-TWO TITANIC VICTIMS RE-
COVERED ARE IDENTIFIED.

Mackay Bennett Cable Ship Reports
Result of Search to White
Star Officials.

New York, April 24.—An additional
list of fifteen names of persons who
perished in the Titanic disaster and
whose bodies have been recovered
was made public by the White Star
Line. The list was received in a wire-
less message from the cable ship
Mackay-Bennett, which also an-
nounced that seventy-seven bodies had
been recovered to date. Of the fifteen
names twelve are those of passengers.

The wireless message follows:
"Following identified: W. D. Dou-
glas, Mrs. Mack, Mrs. N. McNamee,
Catavelas Vassilios, W. Vear, Mary
Mangan, William Sage, James Far-
rell, Henry D. Hansen, James Kelly,
Mauretz Adahl, Rog Hale.
"Douglas has been embalmed. Above
all passengers.

"Have also identified J. R. Rice, as-
sistant purser; G. Hincley, hospital
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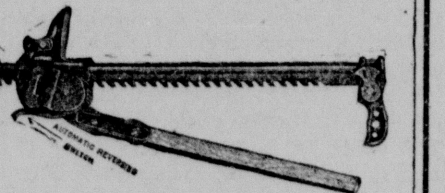
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